



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

H. Koyama et al.

Art Unit: 1775

Application No.: 10/091,586

Examiner: J. McNeil

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For: HOLLOW STABILIZER AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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October 15, 2003

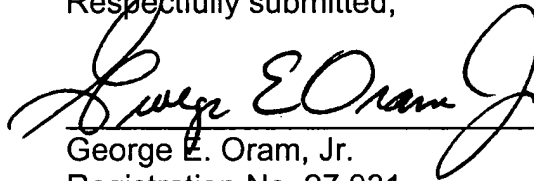
Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed October 9, 2003, the Applicants hereby elect Group II, directed to claim 3, drawn to the hollow stabilizer. The Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications on the non-elected Group.

In view of the Applicants' above election, Applicants respectfully submit that the Restriction Requirement has been satisfied. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request examination of elected claim 3 on the merits.

Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referring to client-matter number 108421-00036.

Respectfully submitted,


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